

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACT

PUBLIC SERVICES - Women Development and Child Welfare Department - Sri K.S.Prabhakar Rao, former Senior Assistant, O/o C.D.P.O., I.C.D.S.Project, Gopalapuram, W.G.District - Disciplinary proceedings initiated under APCS [CC & A] Rules, 1991 - Imposing penalty of withholding of full pension permanently besides recovery of mis - appropriated Government money of Rs.1,01,528/- Orders - Issued.

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DEPARTMENT FOR WOMEN, CHILDREN, DISABLED & SENIOR CITIZENS [ESTT.-A2]

G.O.Rt.No. 382

Dated 12<sup>th</sup> November, 2012

Read the following:-

1. From the Director, Women Development & Child Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad, Lr.No.5838/Vig.I/04, dated 17-06-2010.
2. Government Memo.No.4769/Estt.A1/2011, dated 28-05-2012.
3. Representation dated 07-06-2010 received from Sri K.S.Prabhakara Rao, Retired Senior Assistant.
4. Government Memo.No.4536/Estt.A2/2010, dated 22-06-2012.
5. From the Director [FAC], WD & CW., A.P., Hyderabad, Lr.No.5838/Vig.I/2004, dated 30-06-2012.
6. Government Letter No.4536/Estt.A2/2010, dated 25-08-2012.
7. From Secretary [i/c], A.P.Public Service Commission, Nampally, Hyderabad, Letter No.1699/RT/1/2012, dated 09-10-2012.

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The Director, Women Development and Child Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad, in the letter 1<sup>st</sup> read above informed the Government that based on the report of the Regional Deputy Director, Women Development and Child Welfare, Eluru, W.G.District, disciplinary proceedings were initiated by framing charges against Sri K.S.Prabhakar Rao, Senior Assistant, O/o C.D.P.O., I.C.D.S.Project, Gopalapuram, W.G.District and Smt.Y.Susheela Kumari, the then Child Development Project Officer, and subsequently against Sri R.Chitti Raju, the then Driver, O/o C.D.P.O., Gopalapuram, for certain alleged financial irregularities and thereby mis-appropriation of Government money.

2. The Director of W.D & C.W., A.P., Hyderabad, vide Lr.Rc.No.5838/Vig.I/2004-2, dated 13-10-2005 have issued Charge Memo. consisting of nine charges to Sri K.S.Prabhakar Rao, Senior Assistant regarding mis - appropriation of Government money by double claim of amounts; incurring of expenditure irregularly; irregular drawal of excess amounts by forging signatures in vouchers and tampering of records, and non - accounting of stocks. Sri K.S.Prabhakar Rao, has submitted his defence statement dated 08-11-2005, denying the charges. Hence, the Project Director, District Women and Child Development Agency, West Godavari and C.D.P.O., Gopalapuram, W.G.District were appointed as the Enquiry Officer and Presenting Officer respectively by the Director, W.D & C.W., A.P., Hyderabad, as per A.P.C.S [CC&A] Rules, 1991 vide Proceedings No.5838/Vig.1/2004, dated 13-03-2006. The Enquiry Officer, had submitted the report on 03-10-2006. The Director, W.D & C.W., A.P., Hyderabad, vide his Letter No.5838/Vig.1/2004, dated 17-06-2010, while referring the matter to the Government, had stated that all the nine charges framed against Sri K.S.Prabhakar Rao, Senior Assistant and among the thirteen charges framed against Smt.Y.Susheela Kumari, C.D.P.O., except Charge No.5 and among the four charges framed against Sri R.Chitti Raju, Driver, Charge No.II and IV, were held proved by the Enquiry Officer and reported that the findings of the Enquiry Officer holds good as per the record and apportioned the amount of mis - appropriation as follows among the said three delinquents vide his Letter dated 21-12-2010: -

1.	Smt.Y.Susheela Kumari, CDPO	- -	Rs.1,57,180-00
2.	Sri K.S.Prabhakar Rao, Sr. Asst. [Retired]	- -	Rs.1,01,528-00
3.	Sri R.Chitti Raju, Driver	- -	Rs.12,004-00

and requested the Government to take further action against Sri K.S.Prabhakar Rao, Senior Assistant, who has retired from service on 28-02-2010.

3. Government have examined the matter and a provisional decision was taken to impose a penalty of withholding of full pension permanently besides recovery of the misappropriation amount of Rs.1,01,528/- for the Charges held proved against Sri K.S.Prabhakar Rao, Retired Senior Assistant, besides launching of Prosecution proceedings against him for tampering of official records and misappropriation of Government money.

4. Accordingly, Government in the reference 2<sup>nd</sup> read above have issued a Show Cause Notice to Sri K.S.Prabhakar Rao, Retired Senior Assistant. The individual in his representation vide reference 3<sup>rd</sup> read above, while denying the Charge of misappropriation of any amount stated that the defects pointed in the Annual Inspection Reports of the Project Director, District Women and Child Development Agency, Eluru, have already been rectified and there were no findings in the said Annual Inspection Reports or the Audit Reports of the Accountant - General, Hyderabad, to the effect that he had misappropriated or misused any Government funds in question.

5. The Director, Women Development and Child Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad, upon consultation vide reference 4<sup>th</sup> read above in this regard, vide reference 5<sup>th</sup> read above has stated that the Project Director, Eluru, had submitted a detailed report dated 23-06-2012 along with the Annual Inspections Report conducted during the period 1998-99 to 2003-04 of ICDS Project, Gopalapuram, West Godavari District based on which charges were framed against Smt.Y.Susheela Kumari the then C.D.P.O., ICDS Project, Gopalapuram, Sri K.S.Prabhakar Rao, the then Retired Senior Assistant, ICDS Project, Gopalapuram and Sri R.Chitti Raju, the then Retired Driver, ICDS Project, Gopalapuram, for misappropriation of Government funds and all the nine charges framed against the said Sri K.S.Prabhakar Rao are proved. Further, the Director, W.D & C.W., A.P., Hyderabad, has stated that disciplinary action was initiated basing on the irregularities noticed and reported in Annual Inspection Reports only and not based on any audit paras which have no relation to the charges framed. He also stated that no rectification of defects was found in records with regard to the misappropriated amounts, as claimed by Sri K.S.Prabhakar Rao, Retired Senior Assistant and therefore the same were false, baseless and misleading.

6. In the circumstances stated above, Government have decided to impose a penalty of withholding of full pension [100%] permanently against Sri K.S.Prabhakar Rao, Retired Senior Assistant, former Senior Assistant, O/o C.D.P.O., I.C.D.S.Project, Gopalapuram, West Godavari District, besides recovery of misappropriated Government money of Rs.1,01,528/- from him. Accordingly, punishment of withholding of 100% pension permanently, besides recovery of mis-appropriated Government money of Rs.1,01,528/- is imposed against Sri K.S.Prabhakara Rao, former Senior Assistant, O/o C.D.P.O., Gopalapuram, West Godavari District [now retired].

7. The Commissioner, Women Development and Child Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad, shall take necessary action in the matter accordingly.

8. This order is issues with the concurrence of A.P.Public Service Commission, Nampally, Hyderabad.

[BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH]

NILAM SAWHNEY,  
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

To

The Commissioner, Women Development and Child Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad.

The Accountant - General, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.

The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, A.P., Hyderabad.

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The Government Pleader for Women Development and Child Welfare, A.P.A.T., Hyderabad.

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